

Annual Institutional Profile, 2009

Section I. Research, Scholarly Community Service Activities

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Sampling of Faculty/Staff Research/Scholarly, Public/Community Service Activities Academic Year 2008-2009

- Birdena Brookins, Who's Who Among American Teachers and Educators (2009).
- Namorah Byrd, Professor, Liberal Arts, \$10,000 research grant award from Temple University for a project titled: "Community-Based Participatory Research on Native American Identities and Mental Health"; Presentation, "The Sociological Links between African Americans and Native American," Alliance for Graduate Education and the Professoriate in the Social Sciences, Chicago, IL; Presentation, "The Native American Oral Tradition of Storytelling and Song: America's First Literature," Dine, Yavapai, and Hopi Nations, Tucson, Arizona; Presentations, "Accessing the Literary Spirit: The Deep and Abiding Social and Cultural Roots of the Native American Oral Tradition," Sinte Gleska Lakota Sioux Tribal College, Rosebud Lakota Sioux Indian Reservation in Mission, South Dakota
- Linda DeFelice, Professor, Communications and Karen Durkin, Executive Director, Institutional Research and Assessment, Presentation, "Effective Online Teaching and Learning" Instructional Technology Council eLearning Conference, Portland, OR
- Karen Durkin, Executive Director, Institutional Research and Assessment, and Barbara Turner, Associate Faculty, Business and Technologies, Presentation, "Using the IDEA Survey to Guide Program Learning Outcomes Assessment", NJCCC Best Practices Conference, Hudson County College, NJ.
- Ann Fitzpatrick, Participant, McGraw-Hill Symposium, "Principles of Accounting," Amelia Island, FL.
- **Lori Joyce**, Assistant Professor, Liberal Arts. Contributing editor, <u>The Shut Down Learner</u>, by Richard Selznick, Ph.D.; Author, book chapter, "<u>Don Quixote, Mark Twain's Inspiration for A Connecticut Yankee in King Author's Court"</u>, in Don Quixote, The First 400 Years.

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- Lori Joyce, Assistant Professor, Liberal Arts. Evening host, Interfaith Hospitality Network for homeless families in Gloucester County.
- Danielle Morganti, Executive Director, Human Resources. President, Little People of America (2009-2015)
- Nataka Pavlovsky, Chair, Two-Year Colleges portion of the NJ Executive Board of the American Choral Director's Association.



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A Sampling of GCC's Public/Community Service Activities Academic Year 2008-2009

Gloucester County College continues to serve as a hub for numerous county-wide public service activities, including but not limited to:



- GCC Alegro Society was reinstituted under the leadership of Dr. Nataka Pavlovsky.
- Senior Corps State Health Insurance Assistance Program volunteers served 727 disables and senior clients with billing issues, health insurance questions, medication issues and appeals issues.
- GCC Foundation-sponsored fundraisers raised money for student scholarships, including the Wine and Chocolate, \$7,000; the Gala, \$53,000; and the United Way Public Employees Charitable Campaign, \$4,850.